GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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Integration of MRTS with Chennai Metro Rail
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Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

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(a) Whether State Government of Tamil Nadu has requested to the Union Government for integration of MRTS, Chennai with Chennai Metro Rail;

(b) if so, the details thereof and its likely benefits; and

(c) the reaction of the Government thereto?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT
(RAO INDERJIT SINGH)

(a): Yes, Madam.

(b)& (c): Government of Tamil Nadu, has requested Ministry of Railways to accord concurrence for taking up a study for integration of Chennai MRTS with Chennai Metro Rail. The integration will increase the share of public transport, improve operations and enable effective synergies between various modes of public transport in Chennai. Ministry of Railways has directed General Manager, Southern Railway to engage with the consultant appointed by Chennai Metro Rail Limited for the study regarding integration of Chennai MRTS with Chennai Metro Rail.

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